CAREER POSSIBILITIES

- EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHER/ DIRECTOR
- ♦ EARLY INTERVENTIONIST
- ♦ Inclusion Liaison
- ♦ COMMUNITY COLLEGE INSTRUCTOR
- ♦ CURRICULUM SPECIALIST
- ♦ SMART START CONSULTANT
- ♦ FAMILY SPECIALIST/ADVOCATE
- DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST/
 CONSULTANT
- ♦ SUPERVISOR/ADMINISTRATOR
- ♦ Home Based Service Provider
- ♦ PROGRAM COORDINATOR

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STUDENTS FULFILL COMPETENCIES IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- Child development and learning
- ★ Screening and assessment
- Instructional intervention
- Parent-family involvement and collaboration
- Federal, state, and community policies
- ✦ Related and support services
- Instructional and program evaluation
- Leadership and mentoring

PROGRAM FOCUS

The Birth-Kindergarten: Interdisciplinary Studies in Education and Development (BK:ISED) program will prepare you to assume leadership roles in diverse settings (both educational and community agencies) that develop and implement programming for young children with and without disabilities, ages birth to five, and their families.

Program faculty specialize in:

- Child development
- Early childhood special education
- Early childhood education
- ♦ Family studies
- Special education

Family Focus

The BK:ISED program focuses on the family as a system and how to address family needs when serving young children with and without disabilities. Faculty represent a wide variety of research interests:

- Parent-child relationships and interaction
- Child care quality
- Inclusive classrooms
- Family support coping
- Cultural diversity
- Social development of young children
- Professional development of early childhood educators







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Admission Requirements

- → Prerequisite courses for those without a B-K teaching certificate. (These courses cannot be applied toward the M.Ed.)
- → Undergraduate degree in child development/family relations, education, psychology, or related area.
- → Acceptable GRE Scores
- → Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or better.
- → Three letters of recommendation.

 Academic references are preferred.
- → Personal statement that describes your reasons for pursing the M.Ed. and your career goals.
- → 2 copies of official academic transcripts

 The BK:ISED program accommodates both part-time and full-time students.





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